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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Dah Wen Tsang; John W. Mosier II, deceased;

Douglas A. Pike, Jr., and Theodore O. Meyer

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For:

SELF ALIGNED VERTICAL POWER MOSFET

WITH ENHANCED BASE REGION

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Box Fee Amendment Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

AMENOMENT

Responsive to the Office Action dated May 22, 2002, for which an extension of time is requested on the accompanying transmittal letter, please amend the application as follows.

In the Specification:

Page 8, replace lines 6 through 8, as follows:

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FIGS. 1-12 are cross-sectional views of a portion of a silicon substrate showing fabrication of power MOS devices in accordance with exemplary embodiments of the invention.

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Responsive to the Office Action dated May 22, 2002, enclosed is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below.

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Total Claims		-20*		x \$18 =	\$
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Applicant petitions the Commissioner to extend the time for response. The extension fee is included and a duplicate copy of this form is enclosed.

PTO Form 2038 authorizing credit card payment for the above-listed fees is enclosed.

Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to deposit account number 13-1703.

Respectfully submitted,

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